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For METHOD OF TREATING GLUTATHIONE DEFICIENT MAMMALS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Claims 1-29 are of record and live in the above-identified patent. Preliminary to examination please amend the above-identified patent as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following claims

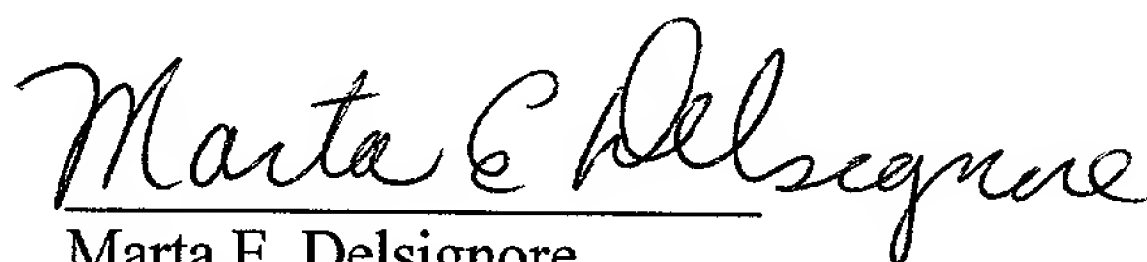
30. (new) A composition of matter which comprises in admixture,
N-acetylcysteine: N-acetyl-d-glucosamine vitamin C present in an amount by weight of 2 to 40
parts N-acetylcysteine, 1 to 4 parts N-acetyl-d-glucosamine and 1-4 parts vitamin C; and
a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier for oral administration.
31. (new) A composition of matter according to claim 30 wherein the admixture
comprises 1.5 parts N-acetylcysteine, 1 part N-acetylcysteine
glucosamine and 2 parts vitamin C.
32. (new) The administration of a pharmaceutically effective amount of the
composition of claim 30 to a mammal.

33. (new) The administration of a pharmaceutically effective amount of the composition of claim 31 to a mammal.

REMARKS

By the foregoing amendment claims 30-33 have been added to the patent. New claims 30 to 33 are supported by Example 1 and Example 4 of the patent. It is respectfully requested that this amendment be entered as it does not constitute new matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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